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This is in response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) mailed April 2, 2002, copy enclosed.

Substitute drawings are required. On March 14, 2002, applicants submitted new formal drawings to the attention of the Official Draftsman. A copy of this paper is enclosed, including further clean copies of the formal drawings which had been submitted at that time. Also enclosed is a copy of the postal acknowledgment card for this submission of formal drawings.

To the extent that any drawing requirement is actually outstanding, this paper and the attached fresh formal drawing sheets are understood to fully respond to this Notice.

Applicants understand that no extension of time is required. However, if this is not correct this paper is to be considered as a formal request for extension. Applicants understand that no fee is required in connection with this paper. If this is not correct, the Office is authored to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1039.

Applicants respectfully understand that there are no outstanding formal matters concerning this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 03/22/2002 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 01/24/2002 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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